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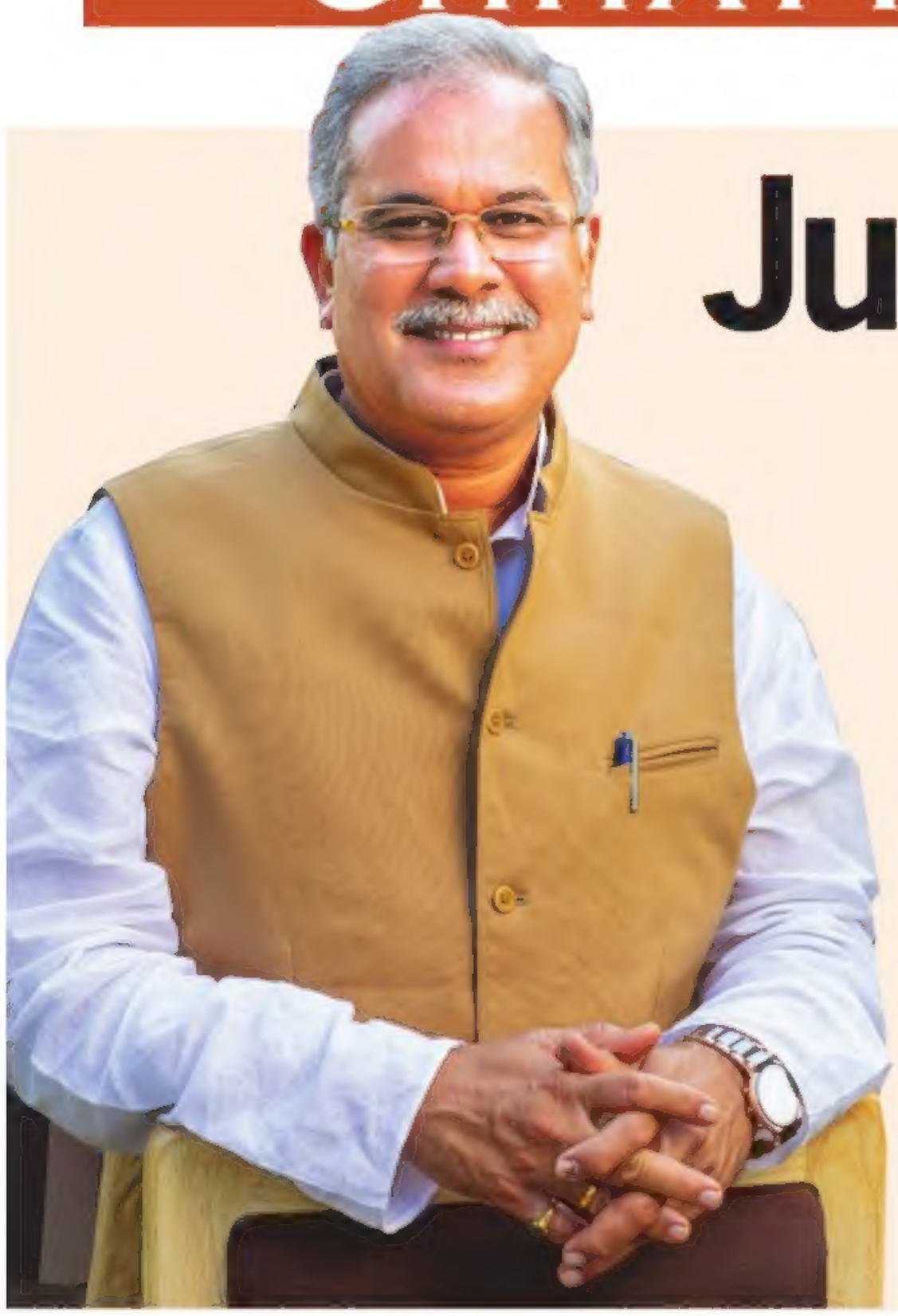
Sibal's platform 'Insaaf' to fight 'injustice'

Alleging that a government working against the citizens is at the helm, Rajya Sabha MP Kapil Sibal on Saturday announced a new platform 'Insaaf' to fight "injustice" prevailing in the country and called on everyone, including Opposition chief ministers and leaders, to support him in his endeavour. Sibal said he would hold a public meeting of the new platform at Jantar Mantar on March 11 and will put forward a new vision of India there. |P12

CHHATTISGARH



Justice for All

The Bhupesh Baghel led government of Chhattisgarh believes in delivering good governance to the last person standing

The Chhattisgarh Model of Development believes in ideas not identity politics; in protecting the rights of the vulnerable populations rather than their exploitation; and in welfare policies that encourage participation not populism. By focusing on farming and forest yield, it ensures that people are not treated as mere beneficiaries, but as protagonists of their own progress. The government ensures forest, water and land is provided to the rightful person.

EMPOWERING FARMERS
A Profitable Partnership

They are getting the highest payment in the country for their produce. Farmers of the state top the list in selling their paddy crop at the support price. With 107.53 Lakh MT (Metric Tonnes), the state has registered a new bench-mark in the purchase of paddy procurement.

FOREST DWELLERS
Protecting that which protects us

Thanks to the Chhattisgarh Government's efforts, people of the state who depend on forest yield could make a livelihood from forest yields and see an increase in their incomes. The state government went on a spree to purchase 65 minor forest produce, topping the list of states in the country in purchase of minor forest produce. It also tops the list of states in providing their rights over forest reserves available in the state.

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